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This is the first issue of the "Numismatic Bookseller" in several months to feature books at fixed prices. Many of the items are scarce and seldom available. Your close perusal is invited.

Our fourth annual Kolbe/Spink public auction sale in New York City again proved to be a great success. With nearly seventy floor bidders, bidding was quite active and prices for better items showed great strength. Consignments for the December 1986 sale are now being solicited. A major consignment of works on ancient numismatics has already been secured and the sale promises to be one of our finest yet.

Our two recent mail bid sales were also quite successful. Interest in American numismatic literature has never been greater, particularly in the area of auction sale catalogues. More bidders participated in our January 4th, 1986 sale than in any recent sale in memory.

JUNE 1986 SALE IN CRESTLINE

Plans are well underway for a memorable sale this June in Crestline. It is probable that the sale will contain over 2,000 lots and a mail bid only section will probably be necessary. Plan now to attend. The sale will be comprised of two sessions and will take place between the Long Beach and C.O.I.N. shows.

NUMISMATIC REMINISCENCES

By Lyman H. Low

The following excerpts are from Low's address delivered at the 1908 American Numismatic Association Convention which was published in the Nov. 21, 1908 issue of Mckeel's Weekly Stamp News).

Coins first attracted my attention in 1856. The fever continued possibly for a year, and then other subjects engrossed me, doubtless from lack of congenial companionship, for I knew but one collector, and it was he who inspired me. I had not then learned of a dealer, though Henry Cook of Boston—my native place—was engaged in the business at that time. The summit of joy was reached and my Eldorado found at the toll-house on the Boston side of Chelsea Ferry, where I made weekly visits on Saturday afternoons, and looked over a box of odd pieces. It was the custom of the tollman to accept anything having the semblence of a coin. If it proved to be something else than a piece of U.S. mintage, it was thrown into this box. Nothing of special importance was ever secured, for my knowledge was limited, and my pocket-book small. My recollections are that Connecticut Cents, Hard Times Tokens, and an occasional Store card composed the bulk of my treasures. It seems worthy of comment that I never found a Half Cent! I think it strong evidence that they were not circulated in New England. When the Civil War came on, I took my collection to a State Street broker, and sold it for $5.00. I have never forgotten my first small accumulation.

During the war more important matters demanded my time, and in the years which followed until 1878, the subject was dormant. In that year, when a commercial traveller, I was sojourning in the West, on the Mississippi, just below St. Paul. Many foreign copper and silver coins were in circulation in that community, and I soon found myself making a collection of the various kinds I met with. By this means I became acquainted with three collectors in the town, and their hordes were sufficient to rekindle the flame of twenty years previous. My ardor was thoroughly aroused, and the interest I took was intense! I dreamed and talked of coins incessantly; but I soon became rational, and launched into the subject in sober earnest. Almost immediately I began to sell as well as purchase. The captures, whether of pieces or of customers, were not large or important. In the Fall of 1879, after returning to New York from one of my trips, I passed the old store of Bangs & Co., on Broadway, opposite Astor Place, and read the bulletin at the door, "Coin Sale to-day". A few brisk steps took me up to the spacious rooms where the coins of the late Theodore Riley were displayed on those long, flannel covered tables, which some of you perhaps remember. I attended the sale that afternoon, and most of those that followed, whenever I was able to do so. In 1883 I made the dealing in coins my exclusive business, beginning at 832 Broadway. When I offered my collection, numbering some 15,000 pieces, to buyers, it was chiefly composed of copper coins. My career since that time is fairly recorded in the catalogues of my public sales, the first being that of the late Alexander Balmanno of Brooklyn. So much for my early reminiscences: of later days I need not enlarge in this company.

A word on Books of Reference. Much satisfaction and success is obtained by the collector who forms a Library and reads it. What others have learned by their studies, recorded and put into print, particularly those who have treated some special series, is at his command, and is of value to him. One may intelligently collect by such a guide, besides saving a great deal of time. He who reads with care, certainly has the advantage over those who do not have, or fail to consult, text-books. It is not too much to say that every branch of the science has been reviewed and in some instances by several authors. With very few exceptions the most modern compilations are considered the best. They generally gather the good results obtained by their predecessors, eliminate or expose their errors, and record the new theories with additional facts which have been carefully worked out. Generally, however, the pioneer furnishes the foundation, besides giving information that might be very difficult for later students to obtain. New and old authorities should be sought for and searched by students, and what one author has omitted may be of special interest to others.

BOOKS FOR SALE

WORKS ON AMERICAN NUMISMATICS

1 Adams & Woodin. UNITED STATES PATTERN, TRIAL AND EXPERIMENTAL PIECES. 1940 reprint. 196 pp., ill. Blue cloth, gilt. 15.00

2 Adams, Dorsett & Pulcipher. THE PIONEER WESTERN BANK (CLARK, GRUBER & CO.) - FIRST OF DENVER: 1860-1980. 1984. xii, 219 pp., well ill., often in color incl. coins and paper currency. Large 4to. Brown leatherette, gilt. 35.00

3 Adams, John W. UNITED STATES NUMISMATIC LITERATURE. VOLUME I: NINETEENTH CENTURY AUCTION CATALOGS. 1982. 270 pp., ill. Red quarter morocco, gilt, all edges gilt. New. Copy No. 16 of 21 Special Editions, featuring an original pen and ink sketch of George Massamore. 250.00

4 Adelson, H.L. THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY 1858-1958. N.Y., 1958. x, 390 pp., ill. Red cloth, gilt. 40.00

5 Ahwash, K.M. ENCYCLOPEDIA OF UNITED STATES LIBERTY SEATED DIMES 1837-1891. 1977 first edition. 411 pp., ill. Cloth, d.j. 45.00

6 Ahwash, K.M. ENCYCLOPEDIA OF UNITED STATES LIBERTY SEATED DIMES 1837-1891. 1981 edition. 411 pp., ill. 4to. Green leatherette. 40.00

7 Akers, D.W. UNITED STATES GOLD PATTERNS. 1979. 115 pp., illus. ill. 4to. Maroon full leather, gilt, all edges gilt. 70.00

8 THE BANKER'S MAGAZINE. Volume Fifty-Eighth, 1848, to June 1849, Inclusive. Baltimore, 1849. vii, 749 pp., 18 engraved plates of coins. Contemporary half calf, gilt, a little rubbed. Fine. Scarce. 110.00

9 Barfield & Strauss. THE BUCHANANS AND THEIR COINAGE. 1980. 63 pp., ill. 4to. Cloth, d.j. 20.00

10 Bebee, M.L. A REGISTER OF HALF DOLLAR DIE VARIETIES AND SUB-VARIETIES. Original 1978 edition. 261 pp., ill. Original green cloth, gilt. Fine. 30.00

11 Bebee, M.L. A REGISTER OF HALF DOLLAR DIE VARIETIES AND SUB-VARIETIES. Original 1981 edition. 261 pp., ill. Later green cloth, gilt. 15.00

12 Betts, C.W. AMERICAN COLONIAL HISTORY ILLUSTRATED BY CONTEMPORARY MEDALS. Original 1894 edition. 192 pp., frontis, ill. Original green cloth, spine lacquered, front hinge a trifle weak. Very good. 75.00

13 Blake, G.H. UNITED STATES PAPER MONEY. N.Y., 1908. 55 pp. Original card covers. 15.00

14 Brigham, C.S. PAUL REVERE'S ENGRAVINGS. Original 1954 edition. xvi, 181 pp., finely illustrated. 4to. Original blue cloth, gilt, d.j. Excellent else a very fine copy. Scarce and important. 100.00

15 Brigham, C.S. PAUL REVERE'S ENGRAVINGS. 1969 revised edition. xx, 262 pp., ill. 4to. Cloth, d.j. 60.00

16 Bushnell, C.J. AN ARRANGEMENT OF TRADESMEN'S CARDS, POLITICAL TOKENS, ALSO ELECTION MEDALS, MEDALETS, &c. CURRENT IN THE UNITED STATES . . . N.Y., 1858. (2), 118, (3) pp., finely engraved frontis of Bushnell, 4 engraved plates. Antique half calf, gilt, original wrappers bound in. Very fine. Especially scarce with the portrait engraved by H.B. Hall, with Bushnell's autograph below. 235.00

17 Chapman, S.H. & H. THE VERY LARGE AND WELL-KNOWN COLLECTION OF ANCIENT GREEK AND ROMAN, ENGLISH, FOREIGN AND AMERICAN COINS AND MEDALS OF THOMAS WARNER, ESQ. N.Y., June 9-14, 1884. 180 pp., 3727 lots, 12 fine tinted photographic plates. 4to. Modern blue cloth, gilt. An exceptionally fine copy of this rare and important catalogue. 925.00

18 Chapman, H. MAGNIFICENT EUROPEAN SILVER COINS, GOLD COINS, MEDALS, ETC., THE PROPERTY OF C.A. BALDWIN, ESQ. Apr. 20, 1911. 147 pp., 1371 lots, pri. 4to. Original paper covers a bit dusty. Very fine copy. 75.00

19 Chapman, H. MAGNIFICENT EXAMPLES OF EUROPEAN COINS OF CLARENCE S. BEMENT, ESQ. June 26, 1916. 93 pp., 993 lots, pri. Original paper covers a trifle dusty. Very fine. 50.00

20 Chapman, S.H. HISTORICAL COINS AND MEDALS RELATING TO AMERICAN HISTORY, THE DOMINION OF CANADA AND AWARDS TO INDIAN CHIEFS AND WAR MEDALS FORMED BY W.H. HUNTER, ESQ. Dec. 9, 1920. 92 pp., 856 lots. 4to. White leatherette, gilt. Fine copy of this scarce and notable sale catalogue. 185.00

21 Cogan, E. SILVER MEDALS OF ALL NATIONS, FORMERLY THE SILVER CABINET OF THE LATE MR. JOHN ALLAN. N.Y., May 25-27, 1870. 107 pp., 845 lots, 8 fine photographic plates. 11 1/4" x 7 3/4". Red half morocco, gilt, original wrappers bound in. Very fine copy of the second auction sale issued in America with photographic plates. 275.00

22 Crosby, S.S. THE EARLY COINS OF AMERICA . . . Original 1875 edition. (2), v, (5), (11)-381 pp., text ill., 2 manuscript plates, 10 heliotype plates. 4to. Antique brown half morocco, gilt, occasional waterstaining else a fine copy. 300.00

23 Crosby, S.S. THE EARLY COINS OF AMERICA . . . 1945 R. Green reprint. 4to. Green cloth, gilt. Fine. 50.00

24 THE COIN COLLECTOR'S JOURNAL. N.Y., Scott & Co., Vol. II, 1877. 188 pp., index, ill. Original blue cloth, gilt, binding a bit discolored. 55.00

25 (Comparette, T.L.). CATALOGUE OF COINS, TOKENS, AND MEDALS IN THE NUMISMATIC COLLECTION OF THE MINT. 1912 first edition. 634 pp., frontis, 15 plates. Original blue cloth, gilt. Fine. 65.00

26 (Comparette, T.L.). CATALOGUE OF COINS, TOKENS AND MEDALS IN THE NUMISMATIC COLLECTION OF THE MINT. 1914 third edition. 694 pp., frontis, 15 plates. Original blue cloth, gilt. Very good. 65.00

27 Connor, S.V., Editor. TEXAS TREASURY PAPERS 1836-1846. 1955. Three volumes. 1246 pp. 4to. Matching card covers a little discolored. 75.00

28 Davis, A. McF. MEMOIR OF ROBERT NOXON TOPPAN. Cambridge, 1902. 13 pp., fine frontispiece portrait. Original printed wraps. Scarce. 25.00

29 Davis, A. McF. COLONIAL CURRENCY REPRINTS, 1682-1751. Boston, 1910-1911. First edition. Four volumes complete. 2010 pp., ill. Matching tan cloth, gilt, some legal pencil annotations (erasable). One of only 250 sets issued of this scholarly and comprehensive work. Indispensable to those interested in the early numismatic, financial and economic history of America. 265.00

30 Dwiggins, W.A. TOWARDS A REFORM OF THE PAPER CURRENCY, PARTICULARLY IN POINT OF ITS DESIGN. N.Y., the Limited Editions Club, 1932. (2), 23 pp., 2 engraved headpieces, text ill., facsimile banknote printed in colors, plate of postage stamps and postmarks printed in colors, plate of tobacco stamps. Original black calf and boards, gilt, slipcase. Spine ends a trifle rubbed else very fine. No. 370 of an edition of 452 copies, signed by the author/artist. Dwiggins' criticisms of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing currency and postage stamp designs are well taken and are presented in a most amusing if acerbic manner. An elegant work. 250.00

31 Elder, T.L. SPLENDID AMERICAN AND ENGLISH COINS, THE PROPERTY OF PETER GSCHWEND, ESQ. June 15, 1908. 83 pp., 1097 & 1098-1108 supplementary lots. Original printed paper covers. Scarce. 45.00

32 Elder, T.L. RAMSAY McCOY COLLECTION OF AMERICAN POLITICAL MEDALS AND TOKENS, U.S. COINS AND HALF CENTS OF R.E. BROWN, H.C. HARRIS COLLECTION OF JEWISH COINS, MEDALS & TOKENS. N.Y., May 20-23, 1918. 125, (1) pp., 2704 lots, 4 fine photographic plates. Sm. 4to. Cloth, gilt, original covers bound in. Fine. A most desirable sale, more rare with the photographic plates. 935.00

33 THE ENCYCLOPAEDIA BRITANNICA. N.Y., 1910-1911. Eleventh edition, printed on thin paper and in octavo format (8 1/2" x 6 1/2"). Matching full blue morocco, gilt, all edges gilt, some bindings a trifle worn and rubbed else a fine set. The best edition in terms of historical and biographical information, and most useful to numismatic researchers. 215.00

34 Evans, G.G. ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF THE U.S. MINT. Phila., 1888. 160 pp., ill. Original maroon cloth, gilt. Near fine. 35.00

35 Frossard & Hays. VARIETIES OF UNITED STATES CENTS OF THE YEAR 1794. N.Y., privately printed, 1893. 18 pp., 2 fine photographic plates. 4to. Original red cloth, gilt, a trifle faded. Very good. 135.00

36 Gilbert, E. THE UNITED STATES HALF CENTS. 1950's Seitz reissue. 43 pp., 6 fine photographic plates. Blue leatherette card covers. 45.00

37 Griffiths, W.H. THE STORY OF AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY. N.Y., 1959. 92 pp., ill., 8 double-page plates of vignettes. 4to. Original cloth & boards, gilt, plastic d.j. Fine. 125.00

38 Gwynne & Day. THE DESCRIPTIVE REGISTER OF GENUINE BANK NOTES, FOR THE DETECTION OF SPURIOUS AND ALTERED BILLS, CONTAINING ACCURATE, ELABORATE AND PLAIN DESCRIPTIONS OF THE NOTES ISSUED BY EVERY BANK IN THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA . . . New York, 1859. 142, (1) pp. 4to. Original brown cloth, gilt, somewhat soiled and worn, internally very good. Desirable and very rare. 485.00

39 Hasse, W.F. A HISTORY OF MONEY AND BANKING IN CONNECTICUT. New Haven, privately printed, 1957. 165 pp., ill. Blue cloth, gilt. Fine. Very scarce. 65.00

40 Heath, Laban. HEATH'S GREATLY IMPROVED AND ENLARGED INFALLIBLE GOVERNMENT COUNTERFEIT DETECTOR . . . Second Edition. Boston, 1866. 39 pp., fractional currency plate, counterfeit $100 National Currency note, numbered plates 1-17 (includes the two banknote facsimiles), 4 pages depicting Heath magnifying glasses. 16mo. Original blue cloth, gilt. Nice clean very good copy of this very scarce issue. 175.00

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42 Haseltine, J.W. JOHN W. HASELTINE'S TYPE TABLE OF U.S. DOLLARS, HALF DOLLARS & QUARTER DOLLARS. . . Phila., Nov. 28, 1881. 130 pp., 1920 lots, prices realized list. Brown moire cloth, decoratively stamped in gilt and blind, lower corner of title skillfully repaired. Fine copy. A landmark sale which greatly popularized collecting by die variety and the standard reference until superceded in the 20th century by the three B's (Bolender, Beistle & Browning). 185.00

43 Johnson, M. GREAT LOCOFOCO JUGGERNAUT. A New Console-a-tory Sub-Treasury Rag Monster: A Cartoon Bank Note by D.C. Johnston. Barre, 1971. 35, (3) pp., banknote facsimile laid in. Original cloth & boards. One of 1950 copies. 45.00

44 Kagin, D.H. PRIVATE GOLD COINS AND PATTERNS OF THE UNITED STATES. Des Moines, n.d. xix, 421 leaves, 8 1/2" x 11" typescript. 4to. Green binder. One of only twelve copies of Kagin's thesis distributed in the numismatic community and the basis of the later commercially published work. 85.00

45 Laughlin, J.L. THE HISTORY OF BIMETALLISM IN THE UNITED STATES. N.Y., 1894. xvi, 259 pp. Original brown cloth, gilt. Generally very good. An important work explaining the economic circumstances which lead to the resumption of silver dollar coinage in the United States. 25.00

46 Lee, K W. CALIFORNIA GOLD DOLLARS, HALF DOLLARS, QUARTER DOLLARS. Santa Ana, 1979. 120 pp., ill., value guide laid in. 4to. Blue leatherette, gilt, signed by the author. 50.00

47 Mallis, A.G. LIST OF DIE VARIETIES OF MORGAN HEAD SILVER DOLLARS. 1964. (2), ii, 42 mimeographed leaves. Spiral-bound blue card covers. Inscribed by the author. Extremely scarce. 75.00

48 McGinty, B. HARASZTHY AT THE MINT. L.A, 1975. 60 pp., ill. Cloth-backed boards. One of only 300 copies of this interesting work concerning the San Francisco Mint's prosecution of the colorful California pioneer Agoston Haraszthy for the alleged embezzlement of gold in 1857. 20.00

49 MEHL'S NUMISMATIC MONTHLY. Fort Worth, 1910 1911. Volumes 3 & 4 complete. Full red roan, gilt, a trifle rubbed. Fine. 120.00

50 Mehl, B. Max. THE JAMES TEN EYCK COLLECTION. May 2, 1922. 193 pp., 2754 lots, frontis, 6 plates, prices realized list. Original brown card covers, occasional neat handpricing and underlining. 8[illegible].00

51 Mehl, B. Max THE W.F. DUNHAM COLLECTION. June 3, 1941. 287 pp., 4169 lots, ill., pr list. Card covers a little worn else fine. 65.[illegible]

52 Mehl, B. Max. THE WILL W. [illegible] COLLECTION. June 17, 1947. 212 pp., 3461 lots, ill., and [illegible] card covers. Fine copy of this major [illegible]. [illegible]

53 Mehl, B. Max. A ROYAL SALE. FAROUK, ALLENBURGER & RENZ. Mar. 2[illegible], 1948. 311 pp., 468[illegible] lots, ill. Original card covers. [illegible]

54 Newcomb, Howard R. THE UNITED STATES CENTS OF THE YEARS 1801-1802-1803. Detroit, 1925. 8[illegible] pp., 5 superb photographic plates bound in, 2 additional plates of new varieties laid in, new variety slip tipped in, Newcomb's pencil additions in the text. 4to. Original brown cloth, gilt. Fine copy. One of only 100 copies issued by the author, with the two additional plates which are usually not present. 450.00

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78 Findlay, J.B. CONJURERS COINS AND MEDALS. AN HISTORICAL SURVEY INCLUDING SOME CIRCUS AND MUSIC HALL PIECES. Shanklin, published by the author, 1964. viii, 72 pp., ill. Crimson cloth, gilt, dust jacket worn. No. 80 of only 150 copies, signed by the author. Annotated, probably by J. Doyle De Witt. 175.00

79 Olivier, P. ICONOGRAPHIE METALLIQUE DU GENERAL LAFAYETTE. Paris, 1933. ix, 83 pp., ill. 4to. Cloth-backed boards, trifle worn & discolored. 30.00

80 Raymond, W. STANDARD CATALOGUE OF UNITED STATES COINS AND TOKENS. 1940 edition. N.Y., 1939. 234 pp., ill. Brown cloth, gilt, d.j. Very fine. 25.00

81 Rundell, W. MILITARY MONEY. 1980. xvii, 271 pp., military currency ill. Brown cloth, gilt, d.j. 20.00

82 Satterlee, A.H. AN ARRANGEMENT OF MEDALS AND TOKENS, STRUCK IN HONOR OF THE PRESIDENTS OF THE UNITED STATES. . . N.Y., 1862. 84 & 84 pp. Two copies, first interleaved, of the original edition, bound in a single volume. Blue cloth, gilt. Both copies heavily annotated. From the J. Doyle De Witt library though not so marked. 250.00

83 Sellers, C.C. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN IN PORTRAITURE. New Haven, 1962. xi, 452 pp., 44 plates. Original cloth, d.j. worn. An important source of information on Franklin medals. 85.00

84 Smythe, R(oland) M(elville). OBSOLETE AMERICAN SECURITIES AND CORPORATIONS, Illustrated with Photographs of Important Repudiated Bonds. New York, 1904. [illegible]79 pp., ill. Original red cloth, gilt. Ex-library. Good copy of this scarce work. 100.00

85 Valentine, D.W. "FRACTIONAL CURRENCY" OF THE UNITED STATES. Second Printing, B. Max Mehl, n.d. 53 & 48 pp. Original blue card covers. 25.00

86 Watson, David K. HISTORY OF AMERICAN COINAGE. Second Edition, Revised and Enlarged. N.Y., 18[illegible]9. [illegible], 301 pp. Original red cloth, gilt, with the pencil autograph of the author. 50.00

87 [illegible], E.C. ABEL BUELL OF CONNECTICUT. SILVERSMITH, TYPE FOUNDER & ENGRAVER. The [illegible] 10, 36, [illegible] pp., well ill. Crimson [illegible] quarter [illegible], gilt, extremities a bit worn, original paper [illegible], internally very fine. No. 76 [illegible] Copies. Ex [illegible] American Type Founders [illegible] Typographic Library. 100.00

88 [illegible], E.C. ABEL BUELL OF CONNECTICUT. Second edition revised, 19[illegible]. [illegible], 1[illegible], [illegible] pp., ill. Cloth, d.j. 40.00

89 Yeoman, R.S. HANDBOOK OF UNITED STATES COINS. Fourth Edition, 1945. 127 pp., ill. [illegible]. A scarce variant of the "Blue Book" bound in [illegible] cloth, gilt lettering somewhat indistinct as usual. 30.00

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90 Alföldi, Andras. A KONTORIAT-ERMEK/DIE CONTORNIATEN. Ein Verkanntes Propagandamittel der Stadtroemischen Heidnischen Aristokratie in ihrem Kampfe gegen das Christliche Kaisertum. Budapest & Leipzig, 1943-1942. Text and plates in one volume. 4to. Full blue levant, gilt, sides panelled in gilt, silk marker, original front card covers bound in. Very fine. 245.00

91 Anthon, Charles. A CLASSICAL DICTIONARY . . OF THE GREEKS AND ROMANS, TOGETHER WITH AN ACCOUNT OF COINS, WEIGHTS, AND MEASURES. . . New York, 1843. viii, 1435 pp. Contemporary calf, worn, front cover loose. Good. 75.00

92 Ars Classica. III MONNAIES D'OR, ROMAINES ET BYZANTINES. 16 Juin 1922. 42 pp., 342 lots, 11 fine plates. 4to. Original card covers a trifle worn and discolored. 125.00

93 Ars Classica. IV. MONNAIES GRECQUES ANTIQUES PROVENANT DES COLLECTIONS DE ALEXANDRE MICHAILOVITCH & ARTHUR J. EVANS. 17 et 19 Juin 1922. 73 pp., 1035 lots, 36 fine plates, neatly priced with buyers' names. 4to. Original card covers. 165.00

94 Ars Classica. VII. COLLECTION C.S. BEMENT. MONNAIES GRECQUES ANTIQUES. SECONDE PARTIE: ATTIQUE A MAURITANIE INCL. 23 et 24 Juin 1924. 84 pp., lots 1083-1909, 31 fine plates. 4to. Card cov. 100.00

95 Ars Classica. XV. COLLECTION W.H. WOODWARD. MONNAIES ANTIQUES GRECQUES, ROMAINES, BYZANTINES, ETC. 1930. 135 pp., 2267 lots, 74 fine plates. 4to. Red cloth, gilt, text margins a trifle waterstained, plates unaffected. 85.00

96 Baldwin, A. FACING HEADS ON ANCIENT GREEK COINS. 1968 reprint. 23 pp., ill. 4to. Green cloth. 25.00

97 Brett, Agnes Baldwin. MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS, BOSTON. CATALOGUE OF GREEK COINS. Boston, 1955. xvi, 340 pp., 115 fine plates. Also included is the 1964 volume of additions. Two quarto volumes, both in the original cloth. Fine. A most important catalogue of a major collection, originally formed by E.P. Warren at the turn of the century and later acquired by the Museum of Fine Arts. 275.00

98 Carson & Sutherland, Editors. ESSAYS IN ROMAN COINAGE PRESENTED TO HAROLD MATTINGLY. Oxford Univ. Press, 1956. x, 291 pp., ill. Original blue cloth, gilt. Scarce and important. 125.00

99 Evans, A.J. THE "HORSEMEN" OF TARENTUM. London, 1889. x, 242 pp., 11 fine autotype plates. Original red cloth, gilt. 125.00

100 Geissen, A. KATALOG ALEXANDRINISCHER KAISERMUENZEN. 1974 & 1978. Two volumes. Matching blue cloth, gilt, well illustrated. 60.00

101 Grant, M. FROM IMPERIUM TO AUCTORITAS. A HISTORICAL STUDY OF AES COINAGE IN THE ROMAN EMPIRE. Cambridge, original 1946 edition. xvii, 510 pp., 12 fine plates. 4to. Original [illegible] cloth, gilt. 1[illegible].00

102 Grasse, J.G.TH. HANDBUCH DER ALTEN NUMISMATIK. Leipzig, 1854. v[illegible], 241 pp., 72 plates. Later brown cloth. An attractive work, featuring plates of ancient coins produced in relief in metallic tints. [illegible].00

103 Green, B.R. ATLAS NUMISMATIQUE DE L'HISTOIRE ANCIENNE . . . CONTENANT UN CHOIX DE 360 MEDAILLES GRECQUES . . . Paris, 1829. (4), ii, 30 pp., 21 plates, handcolored, depicting ancient coins. Folio. Antique half calf, gilt. Fine. 75.00

104 Harwood, E. POPULORUM ET URBIUM, SELECTA NUMISMATA GRAECA EX AERE. London, 1812. xvi, 61, xlviii pp., 7 engraved plates of coins. 4to. Later red half cloth, gilt. 50.00

105 Head, B.V. HISTORIA NUMORUM. Oxford, 1887. First Edition. lxxix, 807 pp., ill. Original brown quarter morocco, gilt, t.e.g., binding a little worn but sound, internally fine. From the Virgil Brand library, with the signature of Horace Brand on the front pastedown. 75.00

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